

Georgia

Lead Poisoning Prevention

Ga. Code Ann. §§ 31-41-1 to 31-41-6 (West 1996).

Provides for the promulgation of regulations regarding training, licensing and certification of persons performing lead hazard reduction activities; sets standards for performing such activities; provides for reciprocity; and provides for fees, among other purposes. The law also provides for:

- lead-based paint is defined as paint with lead in excess of limits established by board of natural resources;
- lead contaminated soil, dust and waste is defined as in excess of limits established pursuant to § 403 of the Toxic Substances Control Act;
- lead based paint activities means the inspection and assessment of lead hazards and the planning, implementation, and inspection of interim controls and abatement activities as determined by the department;
- lead based paint hazard means any condition that causes exposure to lead or lead contaminated substances that is present in accessible surfaces that would result in adverse human health effects as established pursuant to § 403 of the Toxic Substance Control Act;
- lead based paint activities by licensed and/or certified individuals;
- licensing and certification requires training by a state accredited training provider; and
- civil penalties may not exceed \$10,000.